

August 11, 2009

Jane Kurtz
U. S. Environmental Protection Agency
OAR/OAP/Climate Protection Partnerships Division
1310 L Street NW #1005F
Washington, DC 20005

Re: City of West Union, Iowa

Dear Ms. Kurtz,

This letter is to inform you that the City of West Union, Iowa, a recent applicant to the EPA's "Climate Showcase Communities" grant opportunity, is also applying for I-Jobs funding from the State of Iowa to complete the project. Funds from your program, if awarded, will go to the installation of a district-wide geothermal heating and cooling system. The focus of the I-Jobs application is future flood mitigation and, if received, will be utilized in the water retentive aspects of the streetscape project: permeable pavers, bioswales and raingardens, etc. This letter is to satisfy the I-Jobs requirement that the City of West Union provide notification of the city's intent to apply for I-JOBS funding to avoid potential duplication of benefits issues.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Martin Games", with a long, sweeping underline.

Martin Games
City Administrator
City of West Union

